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Honorable Hubert H. Humphrey
Chairman
Subcommittee on Reorganization &
International Organization
Committee on Government Operations
United States Senate
Washington 25, D. C.

My Dear Senator Humphrey:

May I convey to you our appreciation for the opportunity to review Senate Resolution 347 along with its preliminary study guide.

As a function of this Agency we maintain an active program concerned with the evaluation of information on current foreign health and medical research activities which, by force of circumstances, emphasizes that of the Soviet Union and its satellites. In addition, we contribute to the National Intelligence Survey Program in the field of health, sanitation, and medical research matters. Ultimately, this program will be extended to include all areas of the world.

Within your proposed study guide I note with special interest that you tentatively plan a background committee print on "Medical Research and Overseas Health Service by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics". We have available a considerable amount of information which might be of interest to your staff as background for this committee print. This would include some information on Soviet medical technical assistance programs to non-Communist countries. We would be most happy to make this information available to your staff if you so desire. Some of this material may be classified and therefore not suitable for public use, but other material can be declassified provided no attribution is made to this Agency.

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This Agency recognizes the importance of U.S. participation in international medical research and technical assistance programs and the valuable role which they play in furthering the objectives of the Free World largely because of their direct effect on individuals. For this reason we are keenly interested in successful programs of this nature.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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BRIEF FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Answer to Query from Senator Humphrey

1. The attached correspondence has been prepared by OSI with the concurrence of the Medical Staff in answer to a query by Senator Humphrey addressed to the Director of Central Intelligence, regarding Senate Resolution 347.

2. In essence the reply indicates our willingness to cooperate by providing unclassified information on Soviet medical aid programs and our recognition of importance of bi-lateral and multi-lateral medical assistance programs in furthering the objectives of this country.

HERBERT SCOVILLE, JR.
Assistant Director
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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE DIRECTOR

Attached is a reply to Senator Humphrey's request for our suggestions on his Sub-committee's study of international health and medical research programs. Also attached is a brief explanatory note from Dr. Scoville.

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LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON
General Counsel

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